

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2317
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SECURITY TO MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT
JASWANT SINGH BISHNOI

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Members of Parliament to whom security has been provided by the Government and the basis thereof;
- (b) whether the Government propose to review their decision in this regard; and
- (c) the time by which the review is likely to be undertaken?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a),(b)&(c): Security cover is provided to Members of Parliament depending on threat perception assessed by security agencies. The number of protectees keeps changing depending upon assessment of threat. This is a continuous process and subject to periodical review.